Mountain Weather Forecast

Snowdonia National Park

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Thursday 21 Apr 2022 until 23:59 on Friday 22 Apr 2022

Forecast Issued on Thursday 21 Apr 2022 at 04:13

Confidence: Generally high confidence for mostly dry weather with some warm sunshine at first, and for the change to a cooler, windier and cloudier weather pattern from Friday. Lower confidence around chance of showers on Friday and cloud amounts on Sunday.

Headline for Thursday 21 Apr 2022: Dry with plenty of warm sunny spells. Turning breezy in the afternoon.

Mountain weather hazards on Thursday 21 Apr 2022

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** No Likelihood	**Poor visibility** No Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** High Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Sunny	Sunny	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Clear night
Precipitation probability					
00%	00%	00%	00%	00%	00%

Forecast for Thursday 21 Apr 2022

Weather: A mostly clear, bright morning with some high cloud possibly giving hazy sunshine. Fair weather cloud developing late in the morning, thickening up into the afternoon but staying dry with plenty of sunny spells. The best of any sunshine towards the west in lee of hills. Cloud dissipating again into the evening to leave a clear, cool night. Breezy through the day and strengthening further overnight.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 100%

Low Cloud and visibility: Very good to excellent.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	30/35 E	35/42 E	28/37 E	23/32 E	23/30 E	33/43 E	35/45 E
600	21/28 SE	23/30 E	21/30 E	18/26 E	15/22 E	21/33 E	22/33 E
300	17/29 SE	19/31 E	15/28 E	13/24 E	9/19 E	15/30 E	15/30 E
Valley	17/29 SE	19/30 E	14/27 E	12/23 E	9/18 E	15/29 E	14/28 E

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	4/-2	4/-3	8/3	9/5	8/4	5/-1	3/-4
600	7/2	7/2	10/7	12/8	11/8	8/3	5/0
300	8/5	10/6	14/11	15/12	14/12	10/7	8/4
Valley	10/6	11/8	15/12	16/13	14/13	11/8	9/5
Freezing Level*	1500m	1500m	1500m	1700m	1700m	1700m	1300m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Strong sunny spells will develop through the day with high UV levels, so sun protection is recommended. Winds will strengthen through the day so it's likely to feel colder on the mountain tops, so layered clothing is also advisable.

Forecast for Friday 22 Apr 2022

Weather: Turning cloudy early in the morning as high cloud covers the area. Variable amounts of fair weather cloud developing in the morning, with the best of any sunny spells to the west again. All cloud gradually clearing south through the afternoon leaving a sunny evening and cool, clear night. Very strong winds over summits with possibility of gales.

Maximum wind: Easterly 25-30 mph with gusts of 40-45 mph.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 100%.

Low Cloud and visibility: Very good.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 3 Celsius, rising to plus 16 Celsius.
At 800m: Plus 5 Celsius, rising to plus 8 Celsius
Freezing level: Above summits.

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